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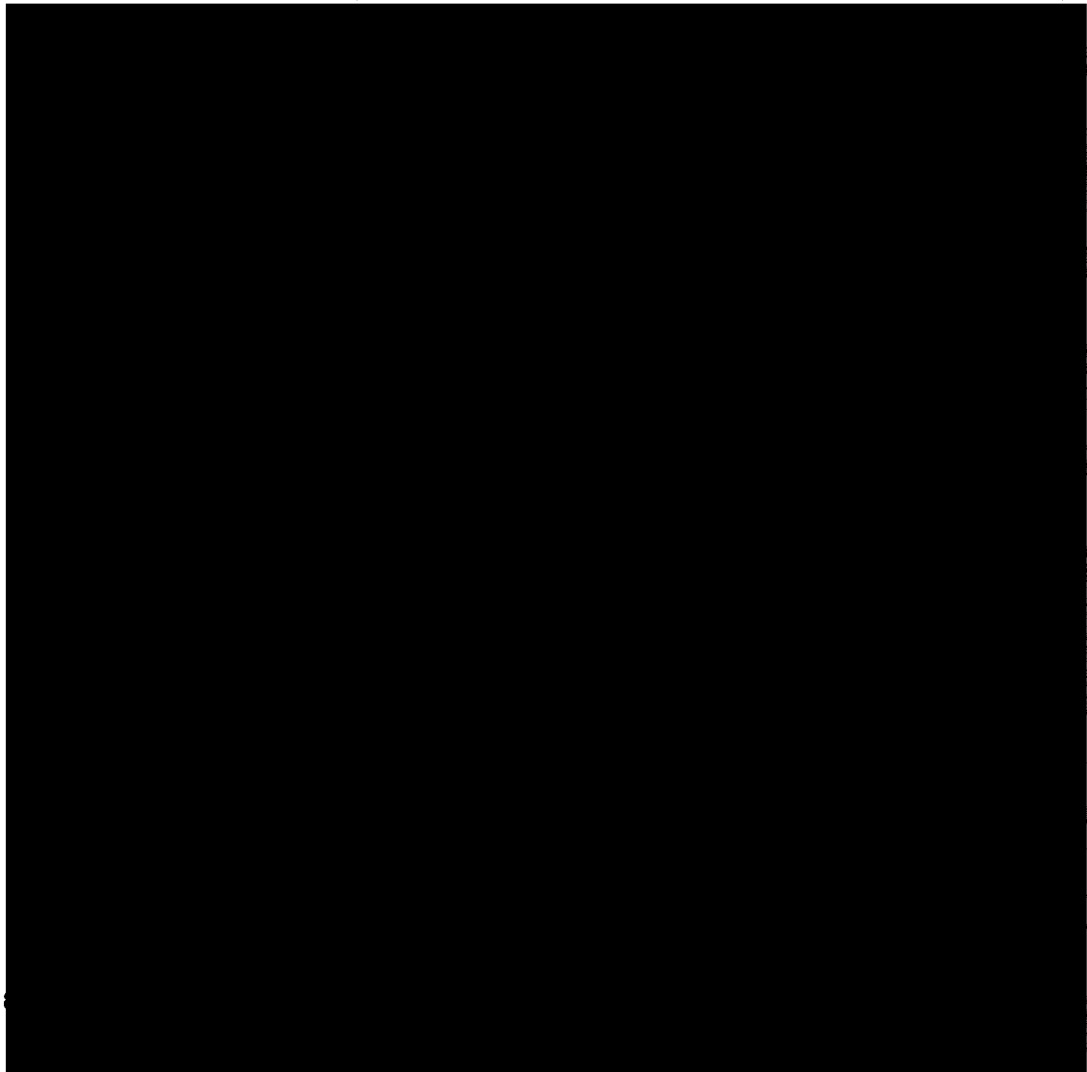
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LEBANON: THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION HAS BEEN REPORTED:

9. BEIRUT INTERNATIONAL AIRFIELD: 11 VAMPIRES, 2 COMVAIR 240,
3 VISCOUNTS, 8 DC-3, 8 DC-4, 3 AVRO YORKS, 1 C-46, 8 T-6, 1 LIAISON.

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10. RIYAG AIRFIELD: 2 C-45 TYPE, 4 T-6 TYPE. NO UNUSUAL ACTIVITY IN CITY AREA.

11. THE FOLLOWING AIRFIELDS REPORT NO AIRCRAFT OR ACTIVITY: ESTABEL, KLEIAT, METULLA.

12. BAALBEK AREA: NO UNUSUAL ACTIVITY REPORTED.

13. BEIRUT CITY AREA AND HARBOR: 15 FREIGHTERS, 2 PASSENGER LINERS, NO UNUSUAL ACTIVITY IN CITY AREA.

14. HAMMANA AMMO STORAGE AREA: 2 AMMO DUMPS, 1 LOCATED 1/2 MIL SW OF HAMMANA AT 334900N 354335E CONTAINING 30 REVETED BUILDINGS, 20 OTHER BUILDINGS, 20 VEHICLES; THE OTHER AREA LOCATED 1/2 MILE WEST AT 334930N 354325E CONTAINING 38 REVETTED BUILDINGS AND 2 OTHER BUILDINGS.

15. HARMAL AREA: NO UNUSUAL ACTIVITY.

16. TRIPOLI HARBOR AND CITY AREA: NUMEROUS SMALL CRAFT IN HARBOR. NO UNUSUAL ACTIVITY IN THE CITY AREA.

17. ISRAEL/LEBANON BORDER: NO UNUSUAL ACTIVITY.

SYRIA: THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION HAS BEEN REPORTED:

18. ALEPPO AIRFIELD: 6 METEORS, 12 T-6, 1 UNIDENTIFIED STRAIGHT WING AIRCRAFT, 1 F-4.

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19. DAMASCUS AIRFIELD: 2 FAGOTS, 13 FRESCOS, 1 C-45, 5 C-47, 1 AVRO YORK, 8 IL-14 CRATES, 1 LIAISON, 37 DERELICT AIRCRAFT. 75 VEHICLES ON AIRFIELD. 13 POSSIBLE FIELD ARTILLERY AND 134 VEHICLES IN AIRFIELD BARRACKS AREA.

20. DUMEIR AIRFIELD: 4 FAGOTS, 8 FRESCOS, 1 T-6.

21. HAMA AIRFIELD: 4 FRESCOS. 8 AA GUNS AND ASSOCIATED VEHICLES REMAIN WHERE PREVIOUSLY REPORTED.

22. SAHL ES SHARA AIRFIELD: NO AIRCRAFT. 20 VEHICLES.

23. T-2 AIRFIELD: 1 LOCKHEED MODEL 10 ELECTRA.

24. NO AIRCRAFT OR ACTIVITY REPORTED AT THE FOLLOWING AIRFIELDS: AFISSE NORTH, BAB EL HAOUA, DEIR EZ ZOR, EL HASEKE, EL QUSEIR, HMEIMNE, MINNIK, PALMYRA, QAMICHLIYE, RASIN EL ABOUB, T-3, T-4.

25. BANIYAS AREA: 5 OCEAN GOING TANKERS, 3 COASTAL TANKERS, 36 VEHICLES.

26. DAMASCUS PROBABLE AMMO STORAGE AREA: 16 VEHICLES.

27. DAMASCUS MILITARY CAMP AREA: 12 TANKS, 130 VEHICLES.

28. DAMASCUS MILITARY DEPOT: 78 VEHICLES.
29. DARA MILITARY INSTALLATION: 5 PROBABLE ARMORED PERSONNEL CARRIERS, 17 VEHICLES, 6 POSSIBLE FIELD ARTILLERY.
30. DJERAH MILITARY INSTALLATION NE: LOCATED 7 MILES NE DJERAH AIRFIELD AT 3611N 3802E. FENCED AREA CONTAINING 6 LARGE BUILDINGS. ESTIMATED 30 VEHICLES.
31. DNAIBE MILITARY POST: LOCATED 1 MILE EAST OF DNAIBE AT 325100N 361435E. 33 BUILDINGS, 23 VEHICLES, 6 PROBABLE TANKS, 6 PROBABLE FIELD ARTILLERY.
32. DUMEIR MILITARY INSTALLATION: ACTIVE.
33. HUMS MILITARY DEPOT: APPROXIMATELY 130 VEHICLES, 16 POSSIBLE FIELD ARTILLERY. LARGE INCREASE IN OPEN STORAGE OF EQUIPMENT IN AREA WHERE FIELD ARTILLERY WAS PREVIOUSLY REPORTED.
34. LATAKIA HARBOR AND CITY AREA: 8 FREIGHTERS AND MANY SMALL CRAFT IN HARBOR. NO UNUSUAL ACTIVITY IN THE CITY AREA.

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35. QAMICHLIYE RAIL STATION HALT: YARD ACTIVE. 40 RAIL CARS, LARGE AMOUNTS OF OPEN STORAGE, STORAGE FACILITIES BEING ENLARGED. NEW WAREHOUSE TYPE BUILDING UNDER CONSTRUCTION TO THE SE OF RAIL YARD. ALSO OPEN STORAGE IN THIS AREA.

36. QATANA MILITARY INSTALLATION: APPROXIMATELY 475 VEHICLES, 35 PROBABLE TANKS, 6 FIELD ARTILLERY.

37. QUANTIRAH MILITARY CAMPS: 5 VEHICLES.

38. NO UNUSUAL ACTIVITY REPORTED IN THE FOLLOWING AREAS: BIR JEZEL; FIQ; IDLIB TO JISR ASH SHUGHAR; PALMYRA; RESAFE; ROUAD ISLAND; SALAMIYA; SIDON; SYRIAN COAST FROM LATAKIA TO A POINT 20 MILES GRTH; SYRIAN TURKISH BORDER FROM 3615N 3645E TO 3645N 3730E AND FROM 3643N 3900E TO 3706N 4100E, TARTUS.